

EducationUSA Canada University Spotlight

Yale University

Yale University is one of the premier universities in the United States and consistently [ranks as a top five school by U.S. News and World Report](#). Yale University is a private [Ivy League](#) research institution and is the third-oldest institution of higher education in the United States. [The university](#) is home to 11,906 students, including 2,135 international students who account for [18% of the student population](#). [Learn more about the university](#).

“The culture in America is definitely welcoming, especially at Yale. There are many international students and I’ve gotten to meet people from all across the world,” says Eric Chen, an Ottawa native, who attends Yale. [Listen to a video interview with Eric](#).

Location:
New Haven, CT

Established 1701

U.S. News Ranking:
3rd in Nation

**Tier 1 Private
Research University**



Academics

Yale University currently ranks 3rd among national universities in the U.S.A. by [U.S. News and World Report](#). It is well known for its distinguished reputation across a variety of academic disciplines. The university consists of three major academic components: [Yale College](#) (the school's undergraduate program), the [Graduate School of Arts and Sciences](#), and 13 different professional schools. Professional schools include the [School of Engineering and Applied Science](#), [School of Management](#), [School of Music](#), [College of Law](#), and [School of Medicine](#). Notable alumni include five U.S. former presidents and Secretary of State John Kerry.



Important Information for Canadian Students

- **Question: Are international students eligible for financial aid?**

Yale University Financial Office

“Yes, international students are eligible. Yale’s financial aid policies for foreign citizens are similar to those for U.S. citizens: need-blind admissions and need-based aid. ‘Need-blind’ means that Yale College admits students on the basis of academic and personal promise, without regard to their ability to pay.”

- Yale meets 100% of demonstrated financial need. Check out the [net price calculator](#) and see how the need-based financial aid works - [Financial Aid Information](#). Furthermore, Yale’s [Student Financial Services Office](#) offers more relevant information on financial aid that Canadian students qualify for such as [fellowships for graduate students](#).
- Visit the [Office of International Students and Scholars](#) to learn more about [applying as a Canadian student](#) for [undergraduate admissions](#) or visit the [individual academic programs for graduate admissions](#). Also, see [frequently asked questions - international applicants for freshman admission](#) and the [international student's application timetable](#).
- Keep in mind important application dates and deadlines: [undergraduate admissions deadlines](#) and [graduate admissions deadlines](#) are specific to individual program. Supplemental materials may be required depending on the program.